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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL  
(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Docket No. : 45191/WPC/D279  
Inventor(s) : Michael A. Pellico  
Title : INCREASED PEROXIDE CONTENT TOOTH BLEACHING GEL  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: October 18, 2001

1. ☒ FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing).

2. IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION

☒ This application is a continuation-in-part of patent application No. 09/659,483, filed September 11, 2000, which claims priority to provisional Application No. 60/153,162.

Prior application information: Examiner (not yet known); Group Art Unit:

☐ This application claims priority pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119(e) and 37 CFR §1.78(a)(4), to provisional Application No. ☐.

3. APPLICATION COMPRISED OF

Specification

☐ 25 Specification, claims and Abstract (total pages)

Drawings

☐ Sheets of formal drawing(s) (FIGS. 1 to )

Declaration and Power of Attorney

☐ Newly executed

☒ Unexecuted declaration

☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))(for continuation and divisional)

4. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

5. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

☐ Computer Readable Copy

☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)

☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

6. APPLICANT(S) STATUS UNDER 37 CFR § 1.27

☒ Applicant(s) and any others associated with it/them under § 1.27(a) are a SMALL ENTITY

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**7. ALSO ENCLOSED ARE**

- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Includes "Cross-Reference to Related Applications"
- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for the parent application and the required fee are enclosed
- ☐ An Assignment of the invention with the Recordation Cover Sheet and the recordation fee are enclosed
- ☐ This application is owned by pursuant to an Assignment recorded at Reel , Frame
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
- ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
- ☐ Certified copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)
- ☐ English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (should be specifically itemized).
- ☐ Other

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**FEE DETERMINATION**

CLAIMS AS FILED					
	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	LARGE ENTITY RATE	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	16 - 20	0	x \$9.00	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1 - 3	0	x \$42.00	x \$84.00	\$0.00
MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE			\$140.00	\$280.00	\$0.00
BASIC FEE			\$370.00	\$740.00	\$370.00
TOTAL FILING FEE					\$370.00
List Independent Claims: 1					

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